

BEFORE THE  
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

COMPETITIVE PRODUCT PRICES  
PRIORITY MAIL CONTRACT 271 (MC2017-46)  
NEGOTIATED SERVICE AGREEMENT

Docket No. CP2017-72

**USPS NOTICE OF AMENDMENT TO PRIORITY MAIL CONTRACT 271,  
WITH PORTIONS FILED UNDER SEAL**  
(May 18, 2018)

The Postal Service hereby provides notice that the terms of Priority Mail Contract 271, in the above-captioned proceeding, have changed as contemplated by the contract's terms. A redacted version of the amendment to Priority Mail Contract 271 is provided in Attachment A, and the unredacted amendment is being filed under seal. The amendment will become effective two business days following the day that the Commission completes its review of this filing.

This amendment will not materially affect the cost coverage of Priority Mail Contract 271. Therefore, the supporting financial documentation and financial certification filed in this docket on April 16, 2018, when the Postal Service submitted its Notice of Change in Prices Pursuant to Amendment to Priority Mail Contract 271, remain applicable. The Postal Service's original application for non-public treatment in this docket is hereby incorporated by reference for the protection of these materials.

Respectfully submitted,

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

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**ATTACHMENT A**

**REDACTED AMENDMENT TO PRIORITY MAIL CONTRACT 271**

**AMENDMENT #3**  
**OF**  
**SHIPPING SERVICES CONTRACT**  
**BETWEEN**  
**THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE**  
**AND**  
**REGARDING**  
**PRIORITY MAIL SERVICE**

WHEREAS, the United States Postal Service (the “Postal Service”) and [REDACTED] (“Customer”) entered into a Shipping Services Contract, Priority Mail Contract 271/Docket CP2017-72 regarding Priority Mail Service on December 2, 2016.

WHEREAS, the Parties desire to amend the terms in Sections I.F.2 and I.F.3 of the Contract.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Parties agree that the contract is hereby amended as detailed below. The existing contract remains unchanged in all other respects. This amendment shall become effective two (2) business days following the day on which the Commission issues all necessary regulatory approval.

[Replace Sections I.F.2 and I.F.3, as follows.]

**I. Terms**

**F.**

2. From the effective date of this Amendment until September 30, 2018, Customer will pay Tier 7 prices for its Contract Packages, pursuant to Table 7 below. Beginning October 1, 2018, and for each subsequent Contract Quarter thereafter, Contract Package price tiers will be determined by the quantity of Customer’s Total Packages shipped in the previous Contract Quarter.
3. The Postal Service will monitor Customer’s volume of Total Packages shipped per Contract Quarter, and within fifteen (15) calendar days after the start of each Contract Quarter, will notify Customer of the applicable Tier for that Contract Quarter based on Table B, with corresponding Contract Package prices found in Tables 1 through 7 below. Tier price changes will be effective within fifteen (15) calendar days after the start of each Contract Quarter. Discounted prices will be calculated by the Postal Service and rounded up to the nearest whole cent.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this amendment to be duly executed as of the later date below:

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

Signed by: **Dennis R. Nicoski**  
Digitally signed by Dennis R. Nicoski  
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Title: Senior Vice President, Sales and Customer Relations

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

